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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: Frank Bartels et al.

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For: DEVICE FOR SUPPORTING A PATIENT
FOR COMPUTER TOMOGRAPHS

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Sir:

Attached is:

- ☒ Response to Non-Final Office Action dated October 23, 2008 (8 pages).
☐ Return Receipt Postcard.

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- ☒ No additional fee is required.
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| Total | 20 | Minus | 20 | | x \$26= | | | x \$52= | |
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| First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim | | | | | +\$195= | | | +\$390= | |
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Respectfully submitted,

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